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AN
INVIGORATING
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A HEALTHFUL
AND
REFRESHING
DRINK.



BREWED FROM
WATERS UNSUR-
PASSED FOR
PURITY.

BREWED ONLY
WITH BAVARIAN
AND
BOHEMIAN HOPS.

REMARKS.

Unsurpassed as a tonic for the ladies. Once tried by them they will agree with the remarks of our other lady friends and continue to patronize us. For the gentlemen it is a cooling and refreshing drink. All who have tried it stand by it. We only ask one trial and will then rest on our merits.

SEATTLE BREWING & MALTING CO.,

HONGKONG BRANCH,

ICE HOUSE LANE.

F. BISHOP,

Acting Manager.

INSURANCES.

UNION ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

(Instituted in the Reign of Queen Anne A.D. 1714).

CAPITAL PAID UP, £180,000.

TOTAL INVESTED FUNDS EXCEED £2,700,000.

TOTAL ANNUAL INCOME, £350,000.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agent of the above Society in Hongkong, is prepared to issue Policies against FIRE on the usual terms.

HARRY WICKING,
Prayer Central.

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NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

TOTAL FUNDS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1895, £12,433,131.

Authorized Capital, £3,000,000.00

Subscribed Capital, £2,750,000.00

Paid-up Capital, £2,687,000.00

Fire Funds, £2,001,018.29

HAVING been appointed AGENTS of the above Company we are prepared to ACCEPT EUROPEAN AND CHINESE RISKS at Current Rates.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, July 22, 1896. 1476

INTIMATIONS.

THE CHINESE MAIL

報日字華

(Hah Tze Yat Fe).

THIS paper is now issued every day.

The subscription is fixed at Five Dollars per annum delivered in Hongkong, or Eleven Dollars Forty Cents including postage to distant ports.

It is the first Chinese Newspaper ever issued under purely native direction.

The chief support of the paper is of course derived from the native community, amongst whom also are to be found the guarantors and securities necessary to place it on a business and legal footing.

The projections, basing their estimates upon the most reliable information from the various ports in China and Japan, from Australia, California, Singapore, Penang, Saigon, and other places frequented by the Chinese, consider themselves justified in guaranteeing a large and ever-increasing circulation.

The advantages offered to advertisers are therefore unusually great, and the foreign community generally will find it to their interest to avail themselves of them.

The field open to a paper of this description, conducted by native efforts, but progressive and anti-objective in tone, is almost limitless. It is on the one hand, a Chinese paper, bold and interest, while on the other it deserves every aid that can be given to it by foreigners.

Like English journals it contains Editorials, Local, Shipping, and Commercial News and Advertisements.

Subscription orders for the above may be sent to

GEO. MURRAY BAIN,
(then Mail Office).

SALEROY HOME

ANY Out-of-Country Books, or Papers, will be cheerfully received at the Saleroys Home, West Point.

Saleroys Home, Canton, China.

INTIMATIONS.

NEW VICTORIA HOTEL.

ROTISSERIE.

Made à la Carte.

CHOPS, STEAKS, etc., etc., at any time, between 7.30 a.m. and 11.30 p.m.

Monthly Boarders at Moderate Rates.

Madar & Farmer,
Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 3, 1896. 1786

THOMAS'S GRILL ROOM.

THIS Establishment has undergone extensive alterations. The LINING ROOM being now upstairs, and a Large BILLIARD ROOM (having Two New Brunswick and Water Tables) being added to the Hotel.

A French Chef having been engaged the Cuisine will be second to none.

Rooms for Private Dinners.

Entrances:—Ice House Lane, Queen's Road, and Duddell Street.

FREDERICK BISHOP,
Manager.

THOMAS'S GRILL ROOM.

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WINDSOR HOTEL, HONGKONG.

THIS Establishment, situated in the elegant Building known as 'GON NAUGHT HOUSE,' offers First-Class Accommodation to Residents and Travellers.

Passenger Elevator, from Entrance Hall to each Floor, in charge of experienced Attendants.

Favourable Arrangements made for Families and for Monthly or Extended Periods.

P. BOHM,
Proprietor and Manager.

Hongkong, November 24, 1896. 1907

PEAK HOTEL.

OPEN ALL THE YEAR ROUND.

THIS Commodious and Well-appointed HOTEL, situated at a height of 1,250 feet above sea-level, has just been thoroughly re-decorated, renovated and re-furnished, and a NEW WING has been built, which commands magnificent Views of the Harbour and mainland of China.

SPECIAL SUMMER RATES.

(From 1st April to 31st October).

One person, per day ... \$ 4.00

One person, per month ... \$ 75 to 90.00

Married couple (occupying one room) per day ... 7.00

Married couple (occupying one room) per month ... 150.00

Married couple (occupying two rooms) per month ... 170.00

Extra Bedroom, per month \$40 to \$60.00

For further Particulars, apply to THE MANAGER, New Victoria Hotel.

Hongkong, April 4, 1896. 1728

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)

WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office—Price, \$1 each.

Price Mass Order.

SHARE LIST—QUOTATIONS—NOVEMBER 9, 1896.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid-up.	Closing Quotations.
BANKS.				
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	80,000	120	all	183 1/2 prem. = \$353.75
Bank of China & Japan, Limited	33,950	52	all	5 nom.
Bank of Communications, Ltd.	1,250	10	all	1.12, buyers
Bank of China, Ltd.	1,250	10	all	8.25, buyers
National Bank of China, Limited.	1,250	10	all	8.25, buyers
Maritime Insurance Co., Ltd.	10,000	250	all	60 \$184, buyers
Canton Insurance Co., Ltd.	83,333	100	all	25 \$176, sellers
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	100	all	25 \$176, sellers
Straits Insurance Co., Ltd.	30,000	10	all	20 \$274
Union Insurance Society, Ltd.	8,000	100	all	60 \$135, buyers
Yong Insurance Association, Ltd.	8,000	100	all	60 \$135, buyers
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	100	all	20 \$102, sales and buyers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	200	all	50 \$345, buyers
Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	12,500	125	all	21 1/2 prem. = \$338.75
China and South Sea S. S. Co., Ltd.	5,000	50	all	60 \$89, sellers
Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd.	20,000	50	all	15 \$34, buyers
H.K. & N.W. Steamship Co., Ltd.	80,000	15	all	10 \$41, buyers
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited	60,000	10	all	10 \$25, buyers
China Mutual S. N. Co.	20,000	10	all	10 \$25, buyers
Do. (new issue)	20,000	10	all	10 \$25, buyers
China Sugar Company, Limited	20,000	100	all	100 \$133
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited	7,000	100	all	100 \$40, buyers
H.K. & N.W. Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd.	20,000	50	all	60 \$80, sales
Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Co., Ltd.	2,000	100	all	37 1/2 \$45
LAND AND BUILDING.				
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	50,000	100	all	60 \$76, buyers
Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	6,000	50	all	30 \$181, sellers
Wanchai Estate and Finance Co., Ltd.	25,400	10	all	10 \$81
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	50	all	40 \$184, buyers
THAMWAYS.				
H.K. High Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,250	100	all	90
Mining.				
Jelebu Mining & Trading Co., Ltd.	40,000	5	all	22.50, sellers
Paragon Mining Co., Ltd.	60,000	5	all	13 \$34, sales and sellers
Southern Franchise Co. (Chartered)	12,000	600	all	87 1/2
Ngas de Tonkin	12,000	600	all	87 1/2
New Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	60,000	3	all	13 \$17.50, sales
Ranb Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	20,000	5	all	57, sellers
Olivers Freehold Mines, Ltd.	15,000	5	all	21 \$34, sellers
PLANTING, ETC.				
China-Borneo Company, Ltd.	7,500	100	all	55 nom.
H. G. Brown & Co., Limited in liq.	6,000	50	all	in liq.
HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LTD.	12,000	50	all	67, buyers
DISPERBANCES.				
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	60,000	10	all	112.75, sales
Dakin, Orickson & Co., Ltd.	50,000	6	all	81, buyers
LIQUIDATION.				
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	10	all	81.10
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	30,000	10	all	8.25, buyers
BAKING AND CEMENT.				
Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	20,000	10	all	10 \$17, sales
Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Ltd.	3,000	1	all	1.21 nom.
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,000	10	all	1.21 nom.
Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited	6,000	10	all	98.25, sales
Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.	10,000	70	all	60 \$30
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.	10,000	25	all	60 \$30
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000	25	all	110.25, sales
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	5,000	25	all	114.25, buyers
Woo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	10,000	100	all	100 \$160, \$4, buyers
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	100	all	100 \$160, \$4, buyers
Loan-King-Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	8,000	100	all	100 \$160, \$4, buyers
Carthage & Co., Ltd.	2,000	25	all	20.25
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	2,000	500	all	100 \$160, \$4, buyers
Bonded shares				
Chinese Imperial 1896	100	100	all	100 \$160, \$4, buyers

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked H., near the Kowloon shore K., and those in the body of the Harbour are marked G. in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.				Section.						
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.	2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.	3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.	4. From Harbour Master's to the P. & O. Co.'s Office.	5. From P. & O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.	6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.	7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.	8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.	9. From Kellett's Island to North Point.	10. Kowloon Wharves.	11. Jardine's Wharf.
Vessel's Name.	Section.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.		
Steamers.										
Activ	1	Dan.	str.	310	June 18	A. R. Marly	.....	K'loon Dock	
Anvers	2	Belg.	str.	1020	Sept. 18	Butterfield & Swire	.....	11th inst.	
Asbury	3	Danish	str.	654	Nov. 7	A. R. Marly	Hollow	to-morrow		
Bullmouth	4	Brit.	str.	2203	Oct. 17	Order	Singapore	to-morrow		
Chelydra	5	Brit.	str.	1568	Nov. 7	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Amoy	12th inst.		
Chiang Hock Kian	6	Brit.	str.	250	Nov. 7	Chinese	San Francisco	.....	
Chiang	7	Brit.	str.	2491	Nov. 7	P. & O. S. S. Co.	San Francisco	12th inst.		
Chiang	8	Brit.	str.	1418	Nov. 7	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	11th inst.		
Chiang	9	Brit.	str.	2600	Nov. 8	Arnold, Karberg & Co.	Sandakan	to-day		
Chiang	10	Brit.	str.	1347	Nov. 1	Butterfield & Swire	Vancouver, B.C.	26th inst.		
Chiang	11	Brit.	str.	1198	Nov. 1	Siemens & Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	12	Brit.	str.	3038	Nov. 3	P. & O. S. S. Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	13	Brit.	str.	921	Nov. 3	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	14	Brit.	str.	2690	Sept. 4	O. & S. S. Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	15	Brit.	str.	1714	Nov. 9	Jensen & Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	16	Brit.	str.	743	Nov. 5	Douglas Steamship Co.	Satow, &c.	to-morrow		
Chiang	17	Brit.	str.	732	Nov. 5	A. R. Marly	.....	.....
Chiang	18	Brit.	str.	2225	Nov. 5	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	to-morrow		
Chiang	19	Brit.	str.	2039	Sept. 15	Melchers & Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	20	Brit.	str.	1171	Nov. 5	Chinese	.....	.....
Chiang	21	Brit.	str.	1846	Nov. 5	P. & O. S. Co.	Shanghai	to-morrow		
Chiang	22	Brit.	str.	1605	Nov. 5	M. S. N. S. Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	23	Brit.	str.	1238	Nov. 5	Siemens & Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	24	Brit.	str.	1871	Oct. 30	Siemens & Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	25	Brit.	str.	1871	Oct. 30	Siemens & Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	26	Brit.	str.	1061	Nov. 8	Butterfield & Swire	Coast Ports	12th inst.		
Chiang	27	Brit.	str.	1352	Nov. 5	Wielar & Co.	Nantien	14th inst.		
Chiang	28	Brit.	str.	5180	Nov. 5	Melchers & Co.	Europe, &c.	to-morrow		
Chiang	29	Brit.	str.	598	Nov. 4	Arnold, Karberg & Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	30	Brit.	str.	992	Oct. 28	Butterfield & Swire	.....	.....
Chiang	31	Brit.	str.	137	Nov. 5	Wielar & Co.	K'loon Dock	to-morrow		
Chiang	32	Brit.	str.	1483	Oct. 8	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	K'loon Dock	to-morrow		
Chiang	33	Brit.	str.	882	Nov. 5	Butterfield & Swire	Satow & Bangkok	to-morrow		
Chiang	34	Brit.	str.	1505	Nov. 5	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	.....	.....
Chiang	35	Brit.	str.	1259	Nov. 5	Butterfield & Swire	.....	.....
Chiang	36	Brit.	str.	820	Nov. 4	Douglas Steamship Co.	Satow, &c.	to-morrow		
Chiang	37	Brit.	str.	911	Nov. 4	C. M. S. N. Co.	Chiao	to-day		
Sailing Vessels.										
Belle of Bath	4	Brit.	sh.	1047	Sept. 2	Captain	.....	.....
El Capitan	5	Amer.	sh.	1419	Nov. 5	Siemens & Co.	.....	.....
Fort Stuart	6	Brit.	sh.	2312	Nov. 5	Order	.....	.....
Clan Macfarlane	2	Brit.	sh.	1445	Sept. 15	Naval Yard	.....	.....
Glen Caladh	3	Brit.	bgo.	458	May 30	Chinese	.....	.....
John Bazley	8	Amer.	sch.	1672	Sept. 20	Reuter, Bruckelmann & Co.	.....	.....
L. Schep	3	Ital.	bgo.	706	July 31	Musso & Co.	.....	.....
Lothair	2	Ital.	bgo.	461	Aug. 7	Wielar & Co.	.....	.....
Orient	3	Ger.	bgo.	461	Aug. 7	Wielar & Co.	.....	.....
Retriever	3	Amer.	sch.	70	April 30	Captain	.....	.....
Sachem	2	Amer.	sch.	1311	June 12	Order	.....	.....
S. D. Carleton	3	Amer.	sch.	1788	Aug. 20	Standard Oil Co.	.....	.....
S. Mark	3	Amer.	sch.	1930	Aug. 18	Order	.....	.....
Yolcity	3	Brit.	bgo.	527	Oct. 1	Chinese	.....	.....
West York	6	Brit.	bgo.	68	Oct. 13	Order	.....	.....
Wm. H. Smith	2	Amer.	sch.	1908	Aug. 21	Standard Oil Co.	.....	.....
W. J. Rolch	2	Amer.	sch.	1664	Sept. 12	Order	.....	.....